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MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted] STAT

FROM: Robert M. Gates
Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT: Blood Donor Program

1. I was most pleased to learn that you have donated six gallons of blood to the American Red Cross Blood Bank. Contributions at this level are most unusual. In recognition of your extraordinary dedication and commitment to the Agency's Blood Donor Program, I am pleased to present your Red Cross Donor's Pin which you should wear with pride.

2. I trust that your unselfish example will encourage others to become regular donors. My congratulations and sincere thanks to you for your willingness to give the gift of life.

Robert M. Gates

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